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## Amendment Transmittal Letter

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 Commissioner For Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified patent application. The non-small entity fee has been calculated in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.16 (b), (c) and (d) as follows:

## Claims As Amended

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**Amendment**

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and in response to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for your consideration.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 2 and 25 are being amended in conjunction with this response.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.